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Grave Charges Made Against Jim McAleer Mite Sox, and on Commy's select twenty appeared Griffith's name. "The glad I put the Old Roman at the top of my list aow," he laughtingly commented. "At that I am sincere in the matter, for Comiskey was just as good i ball player as he is a good fellow, and that is saying a whole lot."

Youngstown Paper Insinuates that Former Manager of the Nationals "Covered Up" Sheer and Scott for Owner Powers.

UNGLAUB SHOT.

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The wound is not dangerous unless com-plications develop and it will not affect.

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Alleged Interview.

"In an interview purporting to have one from Magnate Powers, the local time in hunting trips. I am glad Sheer and Scott will go

to the training samp with the Washing ton team, because then they will have a chance to work into good condition be-

fore reporting bere I am almost sure they will be on our pay roll next season. The alumni of the Eastern High School and the caption. Uraffed Men Sore to Return, says Powers. No chance for Washington to hold Sineer and Stort, which is a definite information to the effect that both bown (Albert Sheer and Short, on their first attempt.

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"Charley Conway goes in Indianapolis The local manufates also have an agreement with the Hosler capital team whereby Conway will return to Young-town if he is not made a fixture on the A. A roster."

Players Seld. Not Drafted.

"Evidently Mr. Powers has been missuated. In the first place, neither Sheer nor Scott was drafted, as the local paper says. Both were purchased outright, weeks before the darfting season opened. The case of Scott and Sheer, as every fan knows, is no different now kince McAleer left Washington than it was the day after they were sold. Sheer and

Griffith Picks Twenty World's Best Players

Charley Comiskey Heads List-Pete Noonan Is Through with Baseball-Other Comment and Gossip!

By WILLIAM PEET.

Clark Griffith, manager of the Washington baseball club, was asked yester-day afternoon to pick the twenty best ball players in the world, and replied unhesitatingly: "Pull out your pencil and take down these names." Griffith's list

appears above.

By way of explanation Griffith wishes to go on record as saying that the names be has picked are the first that flashed across his mind. He rather deplores the fact that he is limited to twenty, claiming that a list of fifty would better include the diamond's best.

"There is old Buck Ewing, Johnny Evers, Johnny Kling, and a host of others I really should include," chirped the Nationals' boss, "but the men I have chosen came to my mind first, and I-will stand pat on my selection."

Griff mentioned the names of several well-known diamond stars whom he did not consider as belonging to the select twenty, including Connie Mack's great singger, Frank Baker. Said Griff.

"Baker is a beavy hitter, pure and simple. I never saw any medals hanging on him for base running or fielding, but you'll have to hand it to him; he can hit that ball."

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After Griffith had named his list, he was shown the selection made by Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago

Pete Noonan, who graduates from the

Georgetown Law School this term, managing the Reds. dropped around for a chat with Griff at

Noonan coached the Catholic University nine last giving, and also played ball with Larry Schafty's Troy club, in the New York State League.

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Word was received here yestering that Jerry Freeman is the proud father of a boy, born in Aloany two weeks ago. Jerry played first base for the Nationals under Joe Cantillion, and later went to the American Association. He is under contract with the Albany club of the New York State League for next season.

One of Cincinnait's foremost baseball writers tell a few funny yarns about the new Red manager.

'One of the funniest things I ever sawwith Hank O'Day a participant,' he says, 'came off at Chicago a few years ago. Johnny Kling had walloped a home run at mineratant moment of the game, and some joyous fan slung a \$2 bill over the railing. Kling collected, thrust the railing. Kling collected, thrust the working in perfect harmony make him two into the rear pocket of his pants, and returned to work behind the bat. O'Day, of course, stepped up close behind the catcher.

"Hey, John, look out!" squawked a Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—Robert A. Unglaub, fermerly of the Washington and Boston Americans, and now manager of

Twenty Best Ball Players.

PICKED BY CLARK GRIFFITH.

1—Charley Comiskey, 2—Frank Chance, 3—Hal Chase,

4-Ed Delehnnty.

5-Lajole, 6-Willie Keeler, 7-Amos Rusie.

S-Mathewson.

9-Waiter Johnson, 10-Ty Cobb,

11-Haus Wagner,

12-Fred Clarke, 18-Ed Walsh,

14-Hugh Duffy,

15-Jimmy Collins, 16-Eddie Collins,

18-Bordecut Brown

18-Addle Joss,

Just say you didn't see it, Hank,' they argued. "That's all you have to do, and you'll be taken care of."
"But, — it. I did see it,' Hank re-

"Rut. — it. I did see it." Hank re-plied; and the verdict was unshaken.

The New York management never for-gave O'Day, and echoes of the 1993 trou-ble cropped out during the 1911 season.
It was some echo of that trouble, toe, that knocked Hank out of umpiring the world's series, for the tip is pretty straight that New York refused to stand for O'Day getting into the extra money, one thing sure-Hank won't kewtow to

deorgetown Law dropped around for a chat with Griff at dropped around for a chat with Griff at the information that he (Noonan) had just finished a har examination, and hoped to be admitted to practice law in Willowbarre, Pa.

"I'm through with baseball for good," declared Noonan. "I believe there is a first-rate field for me in Pennsylvania, and I expect soon to hang out my abing the captainery for a single year. Bill Coughing the great state of the captainery for a single year. Bill Coughing the captainery for a single year all went the same way, and it would seem that some way.

dove into his rear pocket, extracted the two and placed it safely in a forward phications develop and it will not affect Unglaub's playing. Unglaub has been passing the carly part of the winter in Northern Maryland, spending his time in hunting trips.

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Eastern High Football Team Will

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Boy into his rear pocket, extracted the two, and placed it safely in a forward pocket. The audience bellowed, and down in from the bleachers came the same shrill voice, 'Gee, 'Hank'd live on dat fer six member the famous decision of September 25, 1985—the Merkle deriston'? All night long, after that same, a band of big New Yorkers, politicians, shuwmen, people with wads and wads of coin, sat up with Hank O'Day, and Hank could have named the price for only a little thing.

Be Feted.

Sid Lodge May Coach Central's Ball Team

The new coach will not be announced until after the holidays, as "Murph" King will take his time in selecting a bose for his nine.

DE ORO DEFEATS TWO.

Billiard Champion in Form at the

Do Oro showed real form in his exhi-sition of three cushion billiards at the Royal Billiard Parlors yesterday afteron and evening. His opponent for the

noon and evening. His opponent for the afternoon game was a local player whose name we will not mention. De Oro made twenty-one points before, his opponent scored. The final score was 30 to 11 in De Oro's fayor.

The evening game was the best of the service so far, Ed Hickey was also in form and set a hot pace for De Oro in the early part of the game, and at one time he led De Oro by six points, but De Oro then got busy and made runs of six and five and scoring in nearly every inning. Hickey's high run was five and his showing was good considering the great player he was up against. The final score was De Oro 50, Hickey 27.



BASKET-BALL IN ALEXANDRIA. Cardinals to Play Double-header To-night.

special to The Washington Herald.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 20.—There will be Armory, va., Dec. 25.—There will be two games of bissket-ball at the Light infantry Armory, in Royal street, to-morrow night. The feature game of the evening was be between the Cardinal was not be printed, as both team sheets evening was be to be tween the Cardinal was not turned into the Bovling Editor. Regulars and the Ingram team of Washington, and the second game between the Fredericksburg Athletic Club and the Cardinal Reserves.

Always the Same

every inning. Hichey's high run was five and his showing was good considering the great player he was up against. The final score was De Oro 50, Hickey 22.

De Oro will play 100-point pool with Frank Sherman at 2 and 8 p. m. to-day. Also exhibition of fancy shoots after each game.

Hussell Wants Another Canner.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10,—Lefty Russell, the former twirler of the Athletes, who was recently married, wants just one chance to make good. His bride has asked Connie Mack to give him one frank likely that Lefty will be carried South next spring with the Mackmen.

WENDELL TO LEAD HARVARD ELEVEN

Boston, Mass., Dec. 20.—Percy Wendell, All-American half back, was to-day elected captain of the Harvard football team. Wen-dell's work the past season stamps him as being one of the best line plunging backs in the

SPORTING SIDELIGHTS

By BILL BAILEY.

Now for a list of the twenty best am ateurs in Washington. Another indoor baseball scrap to-night. "Big Six" Brewer is playing on the In-

Just as soon as Winfield Scott, for-mer Business star, arrived home from the West he proceeded to put the Epiph-any Church basket-ball team on the map. "Scotty" is a regular player.

In response to Mr. Dugan's letter, we print the following batting averages of the 1911 season:
Street, Washington, 22; Thomas, Athletics, 7732 Carrigan, Boston, 28; Sweeney, Yankees, 231f Clarke, St. Louis, 215; Sullivan, White Sox, 216; Stanage, Detroit, 264.

And they gave him a halo and a pair f wings! Call the police!

Lamberton and "Skip" Wymard, leorgetown football players, are strong for the billiard game. The former hinted that he would like to tackle De Oro on the gridleon.

The principal fault to be found with Comiskey's list of twenty best ball play-ors is that the Old Roman left himself out in the cold. Griff thinks so, at any

should make a big hit with Joa Oliveri, manager of the Vigilant football team.

Eastern High School's football players will sit down to the "big cats" and get their coveted letters to-night. Jack Shea will be there and make a speech.

The following daffydills, from C. K. went the Allen, 231 Twenty-second street north-that so-hesitate cust, were received yesterday, and are cheerfully published:

BASERALL, If you told the third becomes to quit, would the short-stop?
If Mclirid* walked, would a home run?
If the Athletics win the pennant, where will Cleve

If Detroit should go to the top, where will Chi-

That Georgetown quint is somewhat "het up" over its defeat at the hands of the All-Collegians last Saturday night

at the Arcade. Martin's team played a fast game and had the 'varsity on the jump all the way.

Georgelown-Virginia date not settled? The last we heard was that it had been set, and that Virginia had nothing to say regarding the eligibility code in vogue at the Hilton.



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MAJOR SCHEDULES DRAWN NEXT WEEK

Joint Committees to Meet in New York City.

New York, Dec. 20 .- The 1912 schedule of the National and American leagues will be definitely decided upon at a meeting in New York next week. Arrangements have been completed to a session of the joint schedule com-mittees of the majors. President Ton Lynch, Secretary John A. Heydler and Barney Dreyfuss will represent the National, while the American circuit will be taken care of by Ban Johnson and Robert McRoy. Ban Johnson is of the opinion that a couple of hours will clean up all the little trivial problems. The rules committee of

Basket-ball is rapidly gaining a foothold leagues will also confer for the pur n the public, and if the class of goal poalmplifying th on the public, and if the class of goal shooting is kept up in the Washington both will be represented by Bob Ems-City League, there is no reason why the basket game cannot again be counted upon as a real winter sport.

Ward. Johnson has appointed only upon as a real winter sport. Connolly. He will name also a club owner and manager,

BOWLING EVENTS TO-NIGHT.

TENPIN LEAGUES.

DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE.
(At Palace Allera.)

COLONIAL LEAGUE (At Palace Alleys.) PATENT EXAMINERS' LEAGUE.
(At Arcade Alleys.)
Farmers vs. Mechanica

Mocarte vs. Brahms.

DUCKPIN LEAGUES. ARCADE LEAGUE.
(At Areads Alleys.)

CARROLL COUNCIL LEAGUE. (At Hatbabeller Alleys.) Salvadora vs. Ninas.

R. H. Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE.

(At Union Station.)

Southern No. 2 vs. Ticket Office. R. R. Y. M. C. A. MORNING LEAGUE, (At Union Station.) Southern Mail Clerks vs. Union Station.

BURAL MAIL CLERKS' LEAGUE (At Palace Alleys.) Dences vs. Aces.

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If a butcher went for ducks would be bring a canvas back? Or if a short grows in the air what spows on a mystery?